

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**

**SIMMSPARRIS MALDONADO
TEHAUNO, LLP,**

Plaintiff,

v.

AMY MALDONADO,

Defendant.

Civil Action No. 10-4395 (FSH)

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

This matter having come before the Court as a result of its Order, dated April 19, 2011,
directing that the parties appear before the Undersigned for a hearing on April 25, 2011;

and the defense counsel having appeared for the hearing;

and the plaintiff having failed to appear for the hearing or otherwise fully comply with the
Orders dated April 13, 2011 and April 19, 2011;

and the defendant having requested that the Court dismiss the Complaint, grant the
equitable relief that she seeks through her counterclaims, and to award fees;

and for the reasons set forth in the Opinion delivered on the record on April 25, 2011;

and for good cause shown,

IT IS ON THIS 25th day of April, 2011

RECOMMENDED to the United States District Judge that Her Honor: (1) dismiss the
Complaint with prejudice; (2) terminate the motion to dismiss the counterclaims and enter
default against the plaintiff on the counterclaims; and (3) grant the defendant leave to file a
motion for default judgment on her counterclaims, all pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 16 and/or 37.

The parties have fourteen days from the receipt of this recommendation to file and serve objections to it; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the defense counsel shall serve a copy of this recommendation upon the plaintiff by email and fax and file a certificate of service with the Clerk of the Court;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the May 5, 2011 deposition of the plaintiff, the May 6, 2011 deposition of the defendant, and the May 7, 2011 settlement conference are cancelled;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the defendant's obligation to provide the certifications required by the April 13, 2011 Order are suspended; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if the recommendation is not adopted, then the Court will set new pretrial deadlines.

s/Patty Shwartz
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE